

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1999-2000

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

This Report Card is designed to give you information regarding the previous school year's test results, curriculum, personnel, programs, and financial expenditures. Preston County's goals and objectives are developed based upon the information in this report. As a school system, we are striving to give all of our students the opportunity to become productive citizens who can successfully live and work in an ever-changing global society.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#)	29,903	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	4,990	Elementary	5
High School Graduates (#)	329	Middle or Jr. High	3
Teachers (#)	346	High Schools	1
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.4	Vocational Schools	0
		Other	3

STANFORD ACHIEVEMENT TEST, 9TH EDITION TOTAL BASIC SKILLS (PERCENTILE SCORES)

	<u>1996-1997</u>	<u>1997-1998</u>	<u>1998-1999</u>	<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>2000-2001</u>
Grade 3	52	55	56	57	
Grade 4	54	53	53	60	
Grade 5	55	57	57	61	
Grade 6	61	61	61	63	
Grade 7	50	52	58	61	
Grade 8	53	53	58	61	
Grade 9	55	59	53	59	
Grade 10	50	58	54	55	
Grade 11	53	55	58	58	



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SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT)

	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>
Test Takers (%)	5.5	7.1	6.6	5.4	5.2
Math Mean Score	559	549	548	564	580
Verbal Mean Score	575	568	559	553	587

AMERICAN COLLEGE TESTING (ACT)

	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>
Test Takers (%)	54.5	55.5	59.9	55.3	64.4
Composite Score	20.5	20.2	20.3	20.1	20.7

PRELIMINARY SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (PSAT)

	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>
Test Takers (%)					
10th Grade	10.2	11.7	13.3	8.2	1.0
11th Grade	26.5	31.7	30.3	38.4	33.8

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TEST (APT) (COLLEGE BOARD)

	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>
Test Takers (%):					
10th Grade	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0
12th Grade	31.0	3.0	4.8	3.9	0.0
Students with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%):					
10th Grade	NA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	NA	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
12th Grade	NA	90.0	77.8	53.3	0.0

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION

Pupil/Administrator Ratio	205.3
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.4
Professional Staff:	
Average Years of Experience	17.9
Level of Education (%) -	
Bachelor's Degree	6.8
Bachelor's Degree Plus 15	26.5
Master's Degree	7.7
Master's Degree Plus 15	13.3
Master's Degree Plus 30	21.7
Master's Degree Plus 45	22.4
Doctorate	1.3
Other	0.2

PROGRAM AND CURRICULUM INFORMATION

	<u>1996-1997</u>	<u>1997-1998</u>	<u>1998-1999</u>	<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>2000-2001</u>
Enrollment by Subject Area in Grades 9-12 (%):					
English Language Arts	99.5	98.3	99.0	99.1	
Foreign Language	33.4	28.8	31.2	33.4	
Mathematics	90.6	86.5	87.1	87.9	
Science	75.5	74.4	71.8	74.8	
Social Studies	89.2	86.0	80.8	85.9	
Advanced Placement Courses in High School (%):					
10th Grade	<u>UNDER DEVELOPMENT</u>				
11th Grade	<u>UNDER DEVELOPMENT</u>				
12th Grade	<u>UNDER DEVELOPMENT</u>				

SCHOOL INFORMATION

	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>
Attendance Rate (%)	NA	95.4	95.9	95.5	94.9
Average Class Size	22.9	22.5	22.1	20.5	20.9
Classrooms with Split Grades (#)	3	5	6	4	3
Dropout Rate (%)	NA	2.9	2.7	2.6	3.8
Enrollment PK-12 (#)	5,404	5,293	5,132	5,093	4,990
Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#):					
Requested	0	0	0	0	0
Granted	0	0	0	0	0
Graduates (#)	363	308	362	371	329

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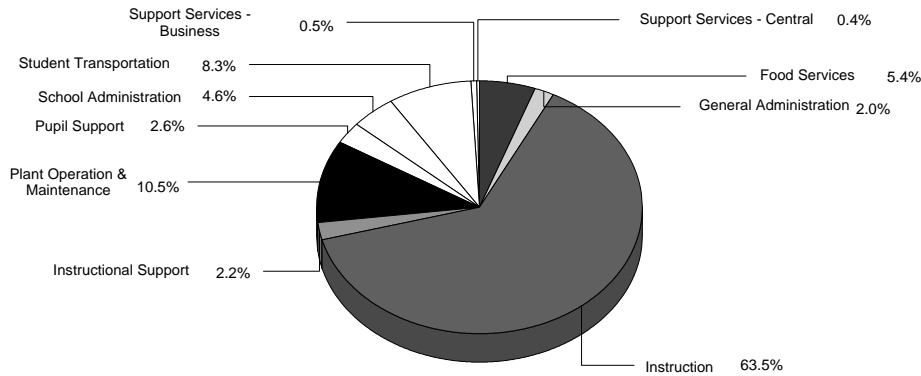
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Below are the numbers of professional educators and service personnel employed by the county that exceed the number allowed by the public school support plan and the amount of salary supplement that would be available per state authorized employee if all expenditures for such excess employees were converted to annual salaries for state authorized professional educators and service personnel. Due to increased personnel requirements, supplements are not presented for school systems that experienced an increase in enrollment for the 1999-2000 year.

	Professional	Service
Number employed that exceeds number allowed	0.00	7.91
Salary supplement that would be available	\$0.00	\$673.60

The per pupil expenditure, based on 10th month enrollment, for the county is \$6,330.87

The instructional and non-instructional expenditures by classification are given below:



Total County Expenditures: \$30,607,733.03

COUNTY OFFICE INFORMATION

Below are the names of the county superintendent (in italics), assistant superintendents, and the number of training sessions attended in 1999-2000 (in parentheses) as related to their area:

Charles W. Zinn (11)
Sharon Harsh (13)

COUNTY BOARD INFORMATION

Below are the names of county board members, their term expiration date, and the total number of hours of required training they received during 1999-2000. An asterisk (*) indicates the board member attended an orientation session during 1999-2000.

	Term Expires	# Hours
Eugene Jenkins	6/30/2000	07.00
Timothy C. Miller*	6/30/2002	14.00
Judy R. Pratt	6/30/2002	07.00
Steven L. Shaffer, President	6/30/2000	07.00
J. Scott Slagle*	6/30/2002	14.00

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SCHOOL INFORMATION

<u>School</u>	<u>Grade Range</u>	<u>2nd Month Enrollment</u>	<u>Split Grades (#)</u>	<u>Average Class Size</u>	<u>Attendance Rate (%)</u>	<u>Graduates (#)</u>	<u>Dropouts (%)</u>
AURORA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-06	160	0	19.7	96.7	0	0.0
ROWLESBURG SCHOOL	PK 0K-08	178	0	16.3	95.8	0	0.0
BRUCETON SCHOOL	PK 0K-08	454	0	19.8	95.1	0	0.0
TERRA ALTA/EAST PRESTON SCHOOL	PK 0K-08	495	1	19.3	95.3	0	0.0
FELLOWSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-05	169	1	17.4	94.9	0	0.0
KINGWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-05	608	0	21.2	95.4	0	0.0
TUNNELTON-DENVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-05	207	1	17.5	96.4	0	0.0
VALLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-05	427	0	20.5	95.2	0	0.0
CENTRAL PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	06-08	310	0	22.5	94.1	0	0.0
SOUTH PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	06-08	189	0	19.2	96.0	0	0.0
WEST PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	06-08	246	0	23.0	93.9	0	0.0
PRESTON HIGH SCHOOL	09-12	1,547	0	24.0	94.3	329	5.6
PRESTON COUNTY SCHOOLS		4,990	3	20.9	94.9	329	3.8
WEST VIRGINIA		290,936	131	19.5	94.3	19,448	3.4

PERSONNEL INFORMATION

<u>School</u>	<u>Pupil/Teacher Ratio</u>	<u>Pupil/Adm. Ratio</u>	<u>Professional Staff Experience (Yr)</u>	----- Professional Staff Level of Education (%) -----							
				<u>Bach</u>	<u>Bach +15</u>	<u>Master</u>	<u>Master +15</u>	<u>Master +30</u>	<u>Master +45</u>	<u>Doc.</u>	<u>Other</u>
AURORA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	15.8	160.0	19.5	5.3	26.3	15.8	5.3	21.1	26.3	0.0	0.0
ROWLESBURG SCHOOL	12.5	178.0	13.1	8.0	28.0	4.0	16.0	24.0	20.0	0.0	0.0
BRUCETON SCHOOL	13.7	302.7	15.2	9.3	25.6	9.3	20.9	16.3	14.0	4.7	0.0
TERRA ALTA/EAST PRESTON SCHOOL	14.8	330.0	17.5	8.2	26.5	16.3	20.4	12.2	16.3	0.0	0.0
FELLOWSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.1	84.5	18.5	0.0	36.8	0.0	5.3	21.1	36.8	0.0	0.0
KINGWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.5	405.3	18.3	2.0	27.5	3.9	15.7	27.5	23.5	0.0	0.0
TUNNELTON-DENVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13.9	0.0	16.2	5.0	40.0	0.0	15.0	10.0	30.0	0.0	0.0
VALLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.5	427.0	17.9	2.7	29.7	16.2	5.4	29.7	16.2	0.0	0.0
CENTRAL PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	14.7	310.0	17.1	11.1	29.6	0.0	18.5	25.9	11.1	3.7	0.0
SOUTH PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	12.9	189.0	15.5	14.3	33.3	0.0	9.5	14.3	28.6	0.0	0.0
WEST PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	12.9	246.0	12.9	12.5	29.2	8.3	12.5	29.2	8.3	0.0	0.0
PRESTON HIGH SCHOOL	15.5	386.8	19.9	8.0	22.1	8.8	11.5	21.2	26.5	0.9	0.9
PRESTON COUNTY SCHOOLS	14.4	205.3	17.9	6.8	26.5	7.7	13.3	21.7	22.4	1.3	0.2
WEST VIRGINIA	13.9	171.7	17.6	9.5	28.0	6.1	9.9	15.8	29.6	0.8	0.3

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PROGRAM AND CURRICULUM INFORMATION

<u>School</u>	-----ENROLLMENT BY SUBJECT AREA IN GRADES 9-12 (%)-----					ADVANCED PLACEMENT IN HIGH SCHOOL COURSES (%)			<u>CAREER CLUSTER INFORMATION</u>
	<u>English Lang. Arts</u>	<u>Foreign Language</u>	<u>Math</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>Social Studies</u>	<u>10th</u>	<u>11th</u>	<u>12th</u>	
SOUTH PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	Under Development			Under Development
PRESTON HIGH SCHOOL	99.1	33.4	87.9	74.8	85.9				
PRESTON COUNTY SCHOOLS	99.1	33.4	87.9	74.8	85.9				
WEST VIRGINIA	97.8	28.8	85.0	82.1	88.7				

COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TESTING INFORMATION

<u>School</u>	-----TEST TAKERS (%)-----							-----COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TEST SCORES-----			
	--Advanced Placement Test--			---PSAT---				---ACT---	----SAT----		12th Grade Test Takers with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%)
	<u>10th</u>	<u>11th</u>	<u>12th</u>	<u>10th</u>	<u>11th</u>	<u>SAT</u>	<u>ACT</u>	<u>Composite</u>	<u>Math</u>	<u>Verbal</u>	
PRESTON HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	33.8	5.2	64.4	20.7	580	587	0.0
PRESTON COUNTY SCHOOLS	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	33.8	5.2	64.4	20.7	580	587	0.0
WEST VIRGINIA	0.1	3.3	5.1	8.7	23.3	17.2	56.7	20.2	511	526	51.1

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STANFORD ACHIEVEMENT TEST, 9th EDITION PERCENTILE SCORES FOR TOTAL BASIC SKILLS BY GRADE LEVEL

School	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11
AURORA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	56	75	79	71	--	--	--	--	--
ROWLESBURG SCHOOL	34	70	58	55	72	72	--	--	--
BRUCETON SCHOOL	54	56	56	72	71	63	--	--	--
TERRA ALTA/EAST PRESTON SCHOOL	47	50	46	69	58	67	--	--	--
FELLOWSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	68	65	62	--	--	--	--	--	--
KINGWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	68	63	64	--	--	--	--	--	--
TUNNELTON-DENVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	50	64	51	--	--	--	--	--	--
VALLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	56	55	71	--	--	--	--	--	--
CENTRAL PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	--	--	--	56	65	54	--	--	--
SOUTH PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	--	--	--	72	59	67	--	--	--
WEST PRESTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	--	--	--	54	51	59	--	--	--
PRESTON HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	59	55	58
PRESTON COUNTY SCHOOLS	57	60	61	63	61	61	59	55	58
WEST VIRGINIA	66	64	63	66	61	62	61	61	61

** Percentile scores are not reported when less than five students took the SAT-9.